

GRAYS AND BANKERS WILL BATTLE TO-DAY FOR AMATEUR TITLE

Washington and Richmond Sandlot Champions Meet at Ball Park in Final Struggle for Intercity Honors—Big Crowd Will Attend. First Game at 2 o'clock.

A record-breaking crowd will witness two of the fastest and best played ball games of the season this afternoon at Broad Street Park, when the Grays, champions of Richmond, and the Bankers, champions of Washington, clash in the final struggle for intercity supremacy. The first game will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

The visiting team, together with a delegation from the District of Columbia, will arrive in Richmond at 11:30 o'clock this morning, and will be met at Elba Station by a local delegation of the Amateur Baseball Commission.

The Bankers will stop at the Richmond Hotel, while the visiting commission will be guests of the Westmoreland Club.

Interest over to-day's double-header is very keen, for, if either the Grays or Bankers take both games the championship honors will lie with the winners.

On the other hand, if they split, another game will have to be played. Still it is probable that the championship will be decided to-day, and judging from the practice and hard work the Grays have undergone during the past week, the honors will probably go Grayward.

Hughes, who showed such umphing ability in Washington Labor Day, in the Grays-Bankers games, will be seen behind the bat to-day wearing the whole "ump" outfit.

The local arbitrator in the first game will be French, while Bottoms will go halves with Hughes in the second contest.

Chittum, the little comedian coacher, will be seen on third base line when the Grays are at bat, and those who

Which is merely another way of saying that nothing has been done, or rather nothing actually accomplished, in choosing a successor to Steve Griffin as leader of the Colts. Really much has been done. Secretary Bradley has used up considerable perfectly good stationery and numbers of penable stamps in writing hither and yon in the hope of securing some man brave enough to assume the task of trying to land a decorated piece of bunting for Richmond.

The latest bulletin issued from the bedside of the unkept Colts is that something may be expected soon. Steve Griffin will not be considered. Neither will any of the members of the team during the season just closed. We were confidentially informed last night that a telegram from a prospective manager was expected momentarily, but the name of the mystery was not even hinted.

Hermes McFarland, who did good work in the United States League during the brief existence of that organization, and who saw service in the American, Eastern and Virginia Leagues several seasons ago, is the latest applicant for the job. McFarland has a world of experience, and is a good ball player. He likewise knows ball players, and the fact that he is now making Richmond his home should not militate against his chances. It is not known how seriously he is being considered, but he is well worth the attention of the directors.

Among some of the others mentioned as possibilities are Charlie Babb and Perry Lipe. Babb once managed the Norfolk team, and left that town to go to Omaha, succeeding James Sullivan, who will be remembered as he manager who quit Richmond in midseason. Perry Lipe has just succeeded in winning another pennant in the South Atlantic League, and is also now the only pennant Richmond has possessed since the reorganization of the Virginia League. There is also the possibility that Joe Laughlin, who was expected to land in Newport News, may get some consideration.

Washington has again crawled within one game of second place, once more exemplifying the fickleness of Dame Baseball. When the Tigers threw a double defeat into the Climber camp this week, while the Naps were winning an easy game, to a man the experts agreed that Clark Griffith must be satisfied with third place. Now in one day the Washingtons climb to be front as real contenders for the place.

The big portpaw, Love, started the game for the Nationals, and though it hard, he got himself out of tight places. He was relieved in the eighth by Joe Boehling, and the local product held the Tigers safe for the remaining innings.

Harry Kunkel, who appealed to the national commission to recover salary from the Norfolk club during his illness, caused by injury received in a championship game, had his claim allowed, and must be paid for the time he was in the hospital, and also two weeks' salary after he recovered.

Danny Moeller, the fleet right fielder of the Washington team, won the game for his club yesterday through his fast work on the paths. He ran from first to third on a bunt, and scored the winning tally a moment later.

Cincinnati is fast gaining on Brooklyn and Boston for fifth place in the National League. The Braves are a scant margin behind, and have excellent prospects of landing above both.

Reulbach and Packard had a grand setto in the first game between Cincinnati and Brooklyn yesterday. The older man lost, but only after pitching wonderful ball.

Mathewson and Marquard hooked up for New York in the double-barreled entertainment offered St. Louis fans. Matty lost, but Sir Richard showed only three hits and scored a shut-out.

Francis Ouimet, the amateur golfer, stood Harry Vardon and Edward Ray, visiting Englishmen, on their heads at Brookline, tying the two professionals and giving America just one chance to keep the cup from being lifted. The youngster will fight it out with the invaders to-day.

Wesleyan has honored football by making the game a special study. It has been added to the other class work of the students, which, if not good judgment, is certainly good advertising.

The Radcliffe Series of Artists' Concerts

CITY AUDITORIUM, RICHMOND, VA.

1. U. S. MARINE BAND
Lieutenant W. H. Santelmann, Conductor, Mary Sherier, Soprano.
Thursday, September 25.
2. GADSKI, Prima Donna Soprano
Of the Metropolitan Opera Company.
Thursday, September 27.
3. EVAN WILLIAMS, Tenor
Cornelia Hill, Pianist.
Thursday, January 22.
4. SCHUMANN-HEINK
The greatest Contralto.
Thursday, February 16.
5. FOUR GRAND OPERA ARTISTS
RAPPOLO, Soprano, Metropolitan Opera Company.
METZGER, Contralto, Metropolitan Opera Company.
COLOMBINI, Tenor, Metropolitan Opera Company.
ECONOMI, Bass, Metropolitan Opera Company.
Thursday, March 12.

SEASON TICKETS NOW ON SALE AT WALTER D. MOSES & CO., 103 EAST BROAD.

MAHEWSO AND MARQUARD CLOSE BATTLE

St. Louis and New York Split Even in Thrilling Double-Header.

MARQUARD IN GRAND FORM

Holds Cardinals to Three Hits and No Runs in Second Game.

St. Louis, September 19.—The Giants and Cardinals played a double bill here to-day, the local team taking the first game 1 to 0 in ten innings and the visitors the final contest 2 to 0. Mathewson pitched the first game, and Marquard the second, the Cardinals winning in the tenth, when Wingo tripped and Huggins, who ran for him, scored on Quilman's rap to center. Marquard and Hopper were opponents in the final session, in the seventh round Hopper became wild, walking one and hitting two others. Two hits then produced two tallies.

St. Louis	ABRHOA	New York	ABRHOA
Quilman, rf.	4 0 0 1	Sgrass, cf.	4 0 1 0
Beck, lf.	3 0 1 0	Dayle, 2b.	4 0 1 3
Mowrey, 3b.	4 0 2 3	Fletcher, ss.	4 0 0 2
Oakes, cf.	0 1 0 0	Whitely, 1b.	3 0 1 0
Whitely, 1b.	3 0 1 0	Herzog, 3b.	4 0 1 2
O'Leary, 2b.	2 0 1 0	Wingo, lf.	4 0 1 3
Wingo, lf.	4 0 1 3	Meyers, c.	4 0 1 0
Snyder, c.	3 0 0 2	Merkle, 1b.	4 0 2 1
Sailer, p.	4 0 1 1	Matson, p.	4 0 0 0
Evans, 1b.	0 0 0 0		
Harnon, 1b.	0 0 0 0		
Totals	22 10 20 12	Totals	31 4 25 13

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Quilman, rf.	4 0 0 1	Sgrass, cf.	4 0 1 0
Beck, lf.	3 0 1 0	Dayle, 2b.	4 0 1 3
Mowrey, 3b.	4 0 2 3	Fletcher, ss.	4 0 0 2
Oakes, cf.	0 1 0 0	Whitely, 1b.	3 0 1 0
Whitely, 1b.	3 0 1 0	Herzog, 3b.	4 0 1 2
O'Leary, 2b.	2 0 1 0	Wingo, lf.	4 0 1 3
Wingo, lf.	4 0 1 3	Meyers, c.	4 0 1 0
Snyder, c.	3 0 0 2	Merkle, 1b.	4 0 2 1
Sailer, p.	4 0 1 1	Matson, p.	4 0 0 0
Evans, 1b.	0 0 0 0		
Harnon, 1b.	0 0 0 0		
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PHILS LOSE AND TIE

Pittsburgh, Pa., September 19.—The Pirates and Phillies played a double-header this afternoon, the Corsairs taking the first, which was a 10-inning game, 3 to 2, while the second game, called in the ninth inning with the Pirates leading 3 to 2, ended in darkness. In the first game, Phils, who were called in the ninth inning with the Pirates leading 3 to 2, ended in darkness. In the first game, Phils, who were called in the ninth inning with the Pirates leading 3 to 2, ended in darkness.

Philadelphia	ABRHOA	Pittsburgh	ABRHOA
Knahe, 2b.	4 1 1 2	Carey, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Becker, cf.	4 1 1 2	Dolan, 2b.	4 1 1 2
Loebert, 2b.	4 1 1 2	Wagner, ss.	4 1 1 2
Magee, 1b.	4 1 1 2	Viox, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Cravath, rf.	4 1 1 2	Chox, 2b.	4 1 1 2
Loderus, 1b.	4 1 1 2	Miller, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Doonan, ss.	4 1 1 2	Simons, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Killifer, c.	4 1 1 2	Simons, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Mayer, p.	4 1 1 2	Hyatt, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Totals	32 4 25 13	Totals	35 3 20 13

Philadelphia	ABRHOA	Pittsburgh	ABRHOA
Knahe, 2b.	4 1 1 2	Carey, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Becker, cf.	4 1 1 2	Dolan, 2b.	4 1 1 2
Loebert, 2b.	4 1 1 2	Wagner, ss.	4 1 1 2
Magee, 1b.	4 1 1 2	Viox, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Cravath, rf.	4 1 1 2	Chox, 2b.	4 1 1 2
Loderus, 1b.	4 1 1 2	Miller, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Doonan, ss.	4 1 1 2	Simons, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Killifer, c.	4 1 1 2	Simons, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Mayer, p.	4 1 1 2	Hyatt, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Totals	32 4 25 13	Totals	35 3 20 13

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Knahe, 2b.	4 1 1 2	Carey, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Becker, cf.	4 1 1 2	Dolan, 2b.	4 1 1 2
Loebert, 2b.	4 1 1 2	Wagner, ss.	4 1 1 2
Magee, 1b.	4 1 1 2	Viox, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Cravath, rf.	4 1 1 2	Chox, 2b.	4 1 1 2
Loderus, 1b.	4 1 1 2	Miller, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Doonan, ss.	4 1 1 2	Simons, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Killifer, c.	4 1 1 2	Simons, 3b.	4 1 1 2
Mayer, p.	4 1 1 2	Hyatt, 1b.	4 1 1 2
Totals	32 4 25 13	Totals	35 3 20 13

Trojans WALLOP BRAVES

Chicago, September 19.—The Cubs defeated the Braves easily in the final game of the series here to-day 6 to 1. Zimmerman's double, after Leach and Evans had both struck out, netted the Trojans two in the first round, and Zimmerman's homer in the third, with Evans on, gave them two more. The fourth Leach doubled, scoring two. The visitors made their only tally in the sixth, when Snyder scored on Myers's single. The score:

Boston	ABRHOA	Chicago	ABRHOA
McVie, 1b.	4 0 1 0	Leach, cf.	4 0 1 0
Connelly, 1b.	4 0 1 0	Evers, 2b.	4 0 1 0
Sweeney, 2b.	4 0 1 0	Schulte, 3b.	4 0 1 0
McVie, 1b.	4 0 1 0	Zimmerman, 3b.	4 0 1 0
Schmidt, 1b.	4 0 1 0	Sailer, 1b.	4 0 1 0
Zimmerman, 3b.	4 0 1 0	Simons, 3b.	4 0 1 0
Griffith, rf.	4 0 1 0	Bridell, ss.	4 0 1 0
Smith, 2b.	4 0 1 0	Archer, c.	4 0 1 0
Reulbach, p.	4 0 1 0	Cheney, p.	4 0 1 0
Totals	32 1 24 4	Totals	36 6 27 10

REDS AND DODGERS DIVIDE

Cincinnati, O., September 19.—The Dodgers and Reds divided a double-header here to-day, the locals winning the first 1 to 0 in ten innings, and the visitors the second 2 to 0. The opening performance was a pitchers' battle between Reulbach and Packard, in which

Kunkel Wins Over Norfolk Club

Cincinnati, O., September 19.—The National Baseball Commission to-day handed down three findings, the most important of which was the sustaining of a decision by the national board in regard to the appeal of the Norfolk club, of the Virginia State League. The commission affirmed the decision of the national board in awarding Player Harry Kunkel two weeks' full salary, two weeks' half salary and a physician's bill, minus \$45, which was paid the player when he was released by Norfolk. Kunkel's claim was that he was injured while in the service of the Norfolk club, and the Norfolk club was ordered to settle.

The commission refused a rehearing to the Savannah club in the case of Player Adams. Adams was sold to the Philadelphia American League club after the fact that he was by the national agreement for selling players. This limit is fifteen days previous to the close of a league's season. The Adams sale in a previous finding was declared null and void.

The former had the advantage, but bunched hits in the tenth put over the winning tally for the Reds. Rucker and Rowan were the opponents in the final melee, the Dodgers winning out in the ninth. The scores:

Brooklyn	ABRHOA	Cincinnati	ABRHOA
Moran, rf.	4 0 0 2	Bescher, 1b.	4 0 0 2
Cutshaw, 2b.	4 0 0 2	Hates, rf.	4 0 0 2
Smith, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Kling, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Stengel, c.	4 0 0 2	Willingd, cf.	4 0 0 2
Daubert, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Hobzeld, 1b.	4 0 0 2
Smith, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Doddy, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Fisher, ss.	4 0 0 2	Doddy, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Smith, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Doddy, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Reulbach, p.	4 0 0 2	Reulbach, p.	4 0 0 2
Totals	36 0 25 13	Totals	35 1 20 17

SECOND GAME.

Brooklyn	ABRHOA	Cincinnati	ABRHOA
Moran, rf.	4 0 0 2	Bescher, 1b.	4 0 0 2
Cutshaw, 2b.	4 0 0 2	Hates, rf.	4 0 0 2
Smith, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Kling, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Stengel, c.	4 0 0 2	Willingd, cf.	4 0 0 2
Daubert, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Hobzeld, 1b.	4 0 0 2
Smith, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Doddy, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Fisher, ss.	4 0 0 2	Doddy, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Smith, 1b.	4 0 0 2	Doddy, 2b.	4 0 0 2
Reulbach, p.	4 0 0 2	Reulbach, p.	4 0 0 2
Totals	36 0 25 13	Totals	35 1 20 17

RAY AND VARDEN VS. EVANS.

Golf Match Arranged Between Englishmen and Former Champion of Western States. Chicago, September 19.—Harry Vardon and Edward Ray, the English golfers now playing in the United States, will play a Western Western champion, and Warren K. Wood, present holder of the title, in a four-hole match on the Ravinia links, Chicago, October 5. It was announced here to-day.

Results in Big Leagues.

NATIONAL

Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 3 (first game).
Philadelphia, 3; Pittsburgh, 3 (second game).
New York, 0; St. Louis, 1 (first game).
New York, 0; St. Louis, 0 (second game).
Boston, 1; Chicago, 6.
Brooklyn, 0; Cincinnati, 1 (first game).
Brooklyn, 2; Cincinnati, 1 (second game).

STANDING OF TEAM S.

Clubs	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	49	44	.522
Philadelphia	51	41	.556
Chicago	50	41	.552
Pittsburgh	48	43	.523
Boston	49	44	.522
Brooklyn	47	46	.505
Cincinnati	42	54	.438
St. Louis	49	55	.470

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.
Boston at St. Louis.

Rules and Regulations Governing The Times-Dispatch's Modified Marathon

A bronze plaque, valued at \$150, will be awarded to the club, school, college or organization that in three years scores the greatest number of points, the first five teams and the first five individuals scoring as follows:

First team home scores 25 points.	Second team home scores 20 points.
Third team home scores 15 points.	Fourth team home scores 10 points.
Fifth team home scores 5 points.	

First man home scores 10 points.	Second man home scores 7 points.
Third man home scores 5 points.	Fourth man home scores 3 points.
Fifth man home scores 1 point.	

First prize—Gold watch.	Second prize—Silver watch.
Third prize—Silver cup.	Fourth prize—Gold medal.
Fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth prizes—Silver medal.	

Sold silver cup to team finishing first and medals to each of the members of that team. A plaque to team finishing second and medals to each member of that team. A plaque to team finishing third and medals to each member of that team.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

Every man finishing the course will receive a medal to be known as survivors' medals.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Unattached athletes competing will have their points scored, and should they join a club later the points scored by them will be credited to such organization.

FURTHER RULES.

It will be necessary for the proper official of the club, organization or college to enter the entire team. No man will score for a team unless he is entered for his club, organization or college as a member of the team and so recorded on the official program.

A club must start and finish three or more men on a team in order to win a team prize. Only the first three men to finish are scored.

The committee reserves the right to reject any entry.

NO COMPETITOR SHALL BE ALLOWED TO START UNLESS HE IS OVER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE, AND SHALL HAVE PASSED A PHYSICAL EXAMINATION BY A REPUTABLE PHYSICIAN, WHO SHALL CERTIFY THAT HE IS IN FIT CONDITION TO RUN THIS RACE.

THIS RACE IS OPEN TO TEAMS OR INDIVIDUALS FROM ANY SECTION OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA, PROVIDED THE ENTRANT IS A REGISTERED ATHLETE IN THE A. A. U. IN GOOD STANDING.

SOUTHPAWS TRIM DETROIT TIGERS

Recruit Love and Regular Boehling Hold Jennings's Men to One Tally.

MOELLER'S RECORD ON BASES

Washington Right Fielder Makes Victory Possible by His Fast Work on Paths.

Washington, September 19.—Jennings's Tigers dropped the farewell game of the season to the Senators here this afternoon 2 to 1. Detroit was unable to hit Washington's southpaw Love and Boehling, when hits meant runs. Love, who was responsible for the Senators' two tallies, making victory possible in the sixth inning when he sprinted from first to third on Milan's bunt. Comstock also twirled good ball for the visitors. The score:

Washington	ABRHOA	Detroit	ABRHOA
Moeller, rf.	2 1 0 0	Bush, ss.	1 1 2 7
Milan, cf.	2 1 0 0	Harmon, 2b.	1 1 2 7
Foster, 3b.	2 1 0 0	Cravath, 1b.	2 1 0 0
Ganahan, 1b.	2 1 0 0	Cobb, cf.	2 1 0 0
Morgan, 2b.	2 1 0 0	Veatch, 1b.	2 1 0 0
Almshurst, c.	2 1 0 0	McKee, cf.	2 1 0 0
Spencer, 1b.	2 1 0 0	Gainer, 1b.	2 1 0 0
McBride, ss.	2 1 0 0	Louden, 3b.	2 1 0 0
Love, p.	2 1 0 0	Comstock, p.	2 1 0 0
Boehling, p.	2 1 0 0	Duane, p.	2 1 0 0
Totals	28 2 27 13	Totals	31 1 24 13

WOMEN GOLFERS ARRIVE.

Montreal, September 19.—Miss Muriel Dodd, British golf champion, and Miss Mabel Harrison, Irish champion in 1906, arrived here to-day to play in the women's championship in Canada, which begins September 22 at Dixie, where the American tournament at Wilmington, Del., beginning October 3.

HARRY GRIFFIN TO COACH ACADEMY

Arrives and Will Have His Prep School Squad at Work To-Day.

Harry Griffin arrived in Richmond yesterday from Port Union, and will take up the duties of coach at the Richmond Academy to-day. Griffin coached the local prep academy last year in football, track and baseball, and although he did not have a winning record, he did lead his team to a championship in football. Griffin will have a picked team which he will give High School, McGuire's and hope to give College a hard run this fall for interscholastic football honors.

FRANCIS OUIMET IS AMERICA'S LAST HOPE IN GOLF TOURNAMENT

By Marvelous Play Youngster Ties With England's Best Golfers in Final Round for National Open Championship—Decision Will Be Reached To-Day.

Brookline, Mass., September 19.—An American youth—a stripling scarcely out of his teens—carved a niche for himself in international sporting history here to-day when Francis Ouimet tied with England's famous professional golfer, Harry Vardon and Edward Ray, in the final round of the national open championship. As a result of his exhibition of nerve and golfing skill, he will be America's sole representative in the 18-hole three-ball to-night between the trio, each of whom turned in a card of 304 for seventy-two holes contested during the past two days.

Ouimet's performance to-day lifted him to the nineteenth annual open tournament of the United States Golf Association out of the usual classification